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May 10—d1mo

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$72 A WEEK. $12 a day at home easily made. Costly outfit free. Address True & Co., Augusta, Maine. Feb3-d&wly

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And dealers in all kinds of

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Prices ranging from the cheapest to the most expensive Also

FULL CLOTH COVERED CASKETS OF SOLID WALNUT.

For the use of the small white Hearse in the city, only $5 00. We guarantee satisfaction, and to be fully convinced, is to give us a call.

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South Main St., corner of Wood, Decatur, Ill. $2.00 per day. Livery stable in connection with house. Carriages furnished at all hours. Feb. 9, 1881—d&wy

USEFUL HINTS.

KEEP the back, especially between the shoulder blades, well covered; also the chest well protected.

ONE ounce of salicylic acid is sufficient to preserve a barrel of cider, that is, to keep it from fermenting and becoming sour.

A SMALL cup of warm milk containing a teaspoonful of lime-water may be given frequently in cases of "bowel complaint."

THERE is nothing better for inflamed eyes than to bathe them with a solution of salt and water. Make the solution weak at first, gradually increasing the amount of salt.

TO REMOVE acid stains from garments: Chloroform will restore the color of garments where the same has been destroyed by acids. When the acid has accidentally destroyed or changed the color of the fabric, ammonia should be applied to neutralize the acid.

TO PREPARE food for mocking-birds, mix together two parts corn meal, two parts pea meal and one part moss meal; add a little melted lard, but not sufficient to make the mixture too greasy, and sweeten with molasses. Fry in a frying-pan one-half hour, stirring constantly and taking care not to let it burn. This makes it keep well. Put it in a covered jar. The moss meal is prepared by drying and grinding the imported German moss seed.

IN Reimann's process for rendering cloth waterproof the fabric is passed slowly by machinery through a tank divided into three compartments, the first containing a warm solution of alum, the second a warm solution of lead acetate and the third pure water, which is constantly renewed. The cloth on passing from the latter is brushed and beaten to remove the salt adhering to the surface, and finally hot-pressed and brushed. In this case lead sulphate is deposited on the fibers.

PERSONS with weak lungs should read aloud daily, and take plenty of exercise in the open air. They should also live generously, and rise and retire at regular hours. Stooping postures should be avoided, and when reading they should sit up erect. When walking keep the head up, and the shoulders thrown back. If confined to the house at any time, walk the floor with the arms crossed behind the back. When in the open air take, as often as you can without fatiguing yourself, long breaths. We have known many persons with weak lungs to be much benefited by following these simple directions.

THE question of storing eggs was discussed at an Iowa convention, and it was conceded by all that cold storage, temperature 40 to 42 deg., kept uniform, with eggs packed properly or in cases, will keep in good condition from six to nine months; but they must be used soon after being taken out of the cold storage, as they soon spoil. Eggs become musty from being packed in bad material; will become musty in cases, as a change in temperature from a lower to higher causes the eggs to sweat and paper to become moist and taint the eggs. Well-dried oats a year old are the best for packing. Eggs become injured by jarring in shipping, by mixing. Fresh eggs mix worse than those kept in cold storage. Eggs held in cold storage in the West should be shipped in refrigerator cars in summer. Eggs will keep thirty days longer if stood on the little end than in any other position; must be kept in an even temperature and a pure atmosphere. Eggs laid on the side attach to the shell, and are badly injured. To prevent imposition as to the freshness of eggs the egg gatherers should candle them when they get them from the farmers. Eggs keep better in the dark than in the light.

Fooling M. Thiers.

Spies do not always render services proportionate to the pay they draw, and their employers are no doubt often sorely vexed by the blunders they commit through overzeal. In 1872, when the Count de Chambord had gone to hold a sort of court at Antwerp, and was generally thought to be on the eve of getting restored to the French throne, M. Thiers sent spies to watch his movements. One of these was so ubiquitous that he ended by attracting the attention of two of the Bourbon Prince's supporters, who were young noblemen fond of fun. These gentlemen, keeping their eyes on the spy, found that he was in the habit of spending his evenings in a certain *cafe* on the Grande Place. Repairing to this establishment they seated themselves near to their man, and began talking about the Count de Chambord's doings in whispers just loud enough for the fellow to hear. The spy, of course, pricked up his ears, and soon he must have been convinced that he was discovering most valuable secrets. The young men related marvelous stories about the Prince's plans, the number of adherents he was gathering in France, and spoke of a grand *coup d'etat* which was being prepared for him by a number of statesmen and Generals who hoped to take the country by surprise. In great excitement the spy flashed the news to Versailles, and M. Thiers, who had no wish to see the Count de Chambord restored, communicated them to his private organ, *Le Bien Public*. That credulous newspaper became remarkable during the next few days for publishing the most extraordinary news from Antwerp. Every day the spy had something new to relate out of what he picked up at his *cafe*, till at length one of his hoaxers having let fall a letter as if by accident, the spy discovered (as he fancied) an elaborate plot for kidnapping M. Thiers. The letter stated, in effect, that the Count de Chambord, having resolved to seize upon the throne, was going to have M. Thiers apprehended in the middle of the night by a certain General, whose name was mentioned, and that meanwhile another General would arrest M. Gambetta. M. Thiers was a fussy little man who had a great belief in plots, and on receipts of the tidings which apprised him that his liberty was in danger he must have experienced a moment's consternation; but before he could take any steps to prepare for the *coup d'etat*, the *Union*, a Legitimist paper, published a chaffing letter from Antwerp, in which the hoax played upon the spy was related in detail. M. Thiers and the editor of the *Le Bien Public* (which always pretended to have no official connections) then looked very foolish. As for the spy, it may be doubted whether, on his return to Paris, he was received with smiling thanks.—*Cornhill Magazine.*

THE new combination of Smart Weed and Belladonna, as used in Carter's Backache Plasters has proved to be one of the best that could be made. Try one of these popular plasters in any case of weak or lame back, backache, rheumatism, neuralgia, soreness of the chest or lungs, etc., and you will be surprised and pleased by the prompt relief. In bad cases of chronic dyspepsia, a plaster over the pit of the stomach stops the pain at once. Ask for Carter's Smart Weed and Belladonna Backache Plasters. Price 25 cents. Sold in Decatur by Hubbard & Swearingen. 19

Advancement.

"The very air is luminous with the spirit of advancement."

When we consider the marvelous achievements of this teeming age, we wonder if the end has been reached, and if limitation has not been placed over originality. But as the old and familiar pass away, the new and wonderful continually appear. The march of progress since the world emerged from the dark ages, was slow for centuries. But during the nineteenth century it has gone forth with the rapidity of lightning and with the force of a giant. New application has been made of old ideas in government and in morals. The spirit of progress has breathed upon all of the elements and converted them into new factors in life. Medicine and theology have been largely revolutionized. Even law, one of the most conservative of professions, founded upon authority and practiced by precedent, shows signs of evolution. Chemistry, geology, archæology, ethnology, have all been showering upon the world the riches of their wealth. The travelers have searched every available nook and corner of this planet for new objects of interest. Astronomers have diligently swept the heavens in search of new worlds. Yet, in the face of all the positive advancement, we are asked by Tennyson to stop and:

"Contemplate all this work of Time,
The giant labouring in his youth"

The results of the last few years have shown, is the development of scientific invention, an activity wholly unparalleled in past ages. Some new and startling scheme is thrown up at every step we make. A writer says, "Every man and woman seems specially endowed for some project, and grasping at the future as if certain that it held some grand prize that could be secured by individual or combined effort. We now only stand on the threshold of mechanical discovery and in our infancy in the great world of scientific development. The wonderful results of the past are only stepping-stones to the vast future that lies before us. We certainly have been advancing with rapid strides and with an increased ratio during the latter part of the present century. What may be the grand achievements of scientific discovery, what wonderful developments of practical results may not be expected before its close? We can easily surmise the possibility of some new and inexpensive motive power, that will displace all of the present methods. Perhaps it may be electricity, perhaps a new combination of gases, using the atmosphere, or water, or both combined. It is possible that we may navigate the air with the same ease and certainty that we now do the sea, only with an accelerated speed. How anxious do we peer into the future." These prophetic words are quoted from one who even proposes to overcome friction. We have not yet seen the great age. It is imbedded in the future. Or it might be better to say that it is germinating in the present, and will arise in its splendor to meet the future. But in all the grandeur of this physicial advancement of the world, let no man be forgotten. He should stand out, superior to all, the "finest finish" of his age, and

"The herald of a higher race"

—*Indianapolis Herald.*

Married Folks Would be Happier

If home trials were never told to neighbors.

If they kissed and made up after every quarrel.

If household expenses were proportioned to receipts.

If they tried to be agreeable as in courtship days.

If each would try and be a support and comfort to each other.

If each remembered the other was a human being, not an angel.

If women were so kind to their husbands as they are their lovers.

If fuel and provisions were laid in during the high tide of summer.

If both parties remembered that they were married for worse as well as for better.

If men were as thoughtful of their wives as they are of their sweethearts.

If there were fewer silk and velvet street costumes and more plain, tidy house dresses.

If there were fewer "please darlings" in public and more common manners in private.

If wives and husbands would take some pleasure as they go along, and not degenerate into some toiling machines. Recreation is necessary to keep the heart in its place, and to get along without it is a big mistakes.—*Sunday Courier.*

ONE hundred and fifty-three mills in Lowell, Mass. — *New York News.* That's nothing! We have a twenty-dollar gold piece which isn't anything like as large as Lowell, and it contains 20,000 mills.

THE SPRING SUIT QUESTION.

Let us continue this subject while it is new upon your mind. Nearly every suit on hand now has come within a few weeks "Direct from our Chicago factory." New styles and shapes for men, boys and children, that will prove a genuine and agreeable surprise in many ways—fit, fabric, and particularly the price.

CHEAP CHARLEY,
The Renowned One Price Clothier.
24-d&wtf

INFANT'S SHOES, of every description, at BARBER & BAKER'S.
April 15–d&wtf

How many persons get up in the morning without an appetite, having a bitter taste in the mouth, and feeling weak and debilitated. All these need Carter's Liver Bitters. Sold by Hubbard & Swearingen. 19

BUY your CLOTHING where they have the best assortment and LOWEST PRICES, at Cheap Charley's Renowned ONE PRICE CLOTHING HOUSE. m11–d&wtf

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C. F. Bachman & Bro

If you wish to get value received call on C. F. Bachman & Bro. They keep a full line of Bed Room Suits, Parlor Suits, Book Cases, Mattresses, Spring Beds, Chairs, etc. Also the celebrated Superior Cook Stove, the best in the world; every stove fully guaranteed. Remember the place and give them a call. Sign of the Big Elephant, south of the Park.
April 7–d&wly

MEN'S fine low shoes, all styles, at
15–d&wtf BARBER & BAKER'S

THEY have corned the finest line of kilt suits ever seen in Decatur, at the Popular One Price Clothing and Merchant Tailoring House, corner of Old Square.
April 20–d&wtf

IF you want to see ALL the LEADING STYLES in STRAW and FUR HATS, Cheap Charley's is the place to find them.
m11–d&wtf

OUR stock of SPRING and SUMMER CLOTHING is complete in all departments, and the largest of its kind in the west. CHEAP CHARLEY.
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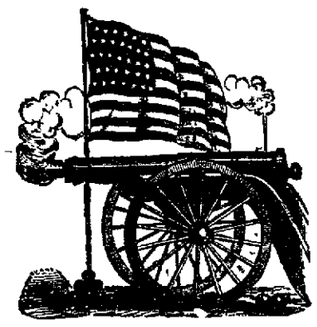
It requires no guns loaded with wind and puff balls to convey the fact to the people of Decatur and 25 to 50 miles around, that



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THE BOSS CLOTHIER,

Carries the Largest, Best Selected Stock of

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For Men, Youths, Boys and Children.

This truth can be easily established by a mere glance over our Shelves and Counters.

150 feet of store-room by 22, up-stairs and down, is necessary to place this IMMENSE STOCK. Both stores connected by a Spiral Stair Case.

With all the blowing and puffing indulged in by our would-be competitors, it remains an indisputable fact well known to every resident in Decatur, that the increase in our trade from year to year has made it necessary to Enlarge our Store, and at present we occupy more space than any Clothing House in Decatur.

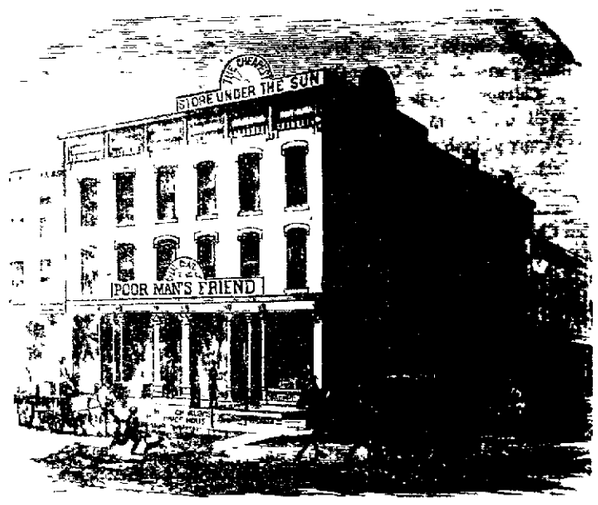
To Our Friends and Customers We would Say

Please look through the stocks of our competitors, see us before you buy, and we will abide by your judgment.

B. STINE,

THE "BOSS" CLOTHIER.

April 26, 1882—d&w



IT IS KNOWN

Over the Whole Town AND 50 Miles Surrounding

That anybody consulting his own interest, must, before he buys anything in the line of

CLOTHING,

Hats, Caps, Trunks, Valises and Gents' Furnishing Goods,

FIRST INSPECT THE STOCK OF

"CHEAP CHARLEY,"

Who Manufactures His Own Goods and Sells Them with but One Profit.

No Middleman Stands Between Us and Our Customers.

COME AND EXAMINE OUR NEW SPECIALTIES.

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KAUFMAN & BACHRACH, Manufacturers of Clothing

Not wealth, nor birth nor rank nor state,
But GET RIGHT UP AND GIT that makes man great.

KAUFMANN & BACHRACH

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MEN'S AND BOYS'

Clothing!

Dealers in

Goods for Men's Wear

Cor. East Main & Water Sts

DECATUR.

Factory—Chicago, Illinois.

Owing to the rains of the past week, preventing country people from coming to town, and wanting to give them an equal chance with city trade, we have decided to continue our sales of

"DOMESTIC" SEWING MACHINES AT COST!

UNTIL THE 25th. Remember that now is your time to buy a FIRST CLASS Sewing Machine cheaper than you ever will again. Stock on hand is small. First come, first served.

J. T. HAND & CO.,

Agents "LIGHT RUNNING DOMESTIC."

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THURSDAY EVENING, MAY 25, 1882.

B. K. HAMSHER. J. R. MOSSER.
HAMSHER & MOSSER, Proprl't'rs.
DECATUR, ILLINOIS.

Entered at the Post Office at Decatur, Illinois, as second class mail matter.

$2,500,000 in gold were shipped from New York to Europe yesterday.

YESTERDAY was the most active day for many years at the Union Stock Yards, Chicago. Hogs sold as high as $8.82½, and cattle reached $8.25. The supply of both was short of the demand.

THERE are now four separate routes from Chicago to Denver, the C., B. and Q. extension having been completed Wednesday. The distance by the new route between the two points is 1,044 miles.

FOR STATE TREASURER.

The Republican State Convention will assemble at Springfield on the 28th of June, and much interest is already manifested with reference to the ticket that will be put in nomination. Among the candidates who will come before the convention for the nomination for state treasurer is Hon. D. D. Parry, of Warren county, a member of the present house of representatives, who is now making a canvass of the state and receiving much encouragement. Mr. Parry is a thorough business, who enjoys the confidence of his neighbors in an eminent degree, as is shown by the fact that he has been made the recipient of numerous official honors at their hands. He was a soldier during the late war, and left a leg on the battle field as a pledge of his devotion to the Union. His home paper, the Monmouth *Atlas*, gives him this cordial endorsement:

It is known to our readers generally that our townsman, Hon. Daniel D. Parry, is in the field as a candidate for the nomination of state treasurer at the next Republican State Convention. We feel assured that there are strong reasons why Mr. Parry's candidacy should be received with favor by the Republicans of the state. He is eminently qualified both by native endowments and experience to successfully discharge the duties of the office to which he aspires. He is a man of alert and active mind, a neat penman, a ready and rapid accountant, and a man of the most thorough business habits. Three years as Deputy County Clerk, four successive terms as County Treasurer, four years' service on the State Board of Equalization, and a membership in the 32d General Assembly, have given him ample practical qualifications for the duties of the office. His personal qualifications commend him to public favor. His pleasant address, obliging disposition, upright character and industrious and proper habits, have commended him to the people of his own community and have been the passports to the large favor he has enjoyed among the people of his own county and section. He carries about with him as eloquent proof of his patriotism at a time when the word meant any sacrifice for country's sake—a wooden leg. Enlisted April 19, 1861, he served until October 8th, 1862, when in the battle of Perryville, Kentucky, he received a wound which necessitated the amputation of his left leg above the knee. This disability excludes him from many of the vocations of life and entitles him to share in the debt of gratitude owed to our country's defenders—a debt no official favor can ever pay. Mr. Parry's locality entitles his candidacy to consideration. Warren county is populous and polls a large Republican vote. It is situated near the center of the Military Tract and has never been honored with representation on a state ticket. More than this need not be said in Mr. Parry's favor. He has all the qualifications of a strong candidate, and, if nominated, will be a source of great strength to the ticket.

COLLECTOR WORTHINGTON, of Boston, is quite willing to let all the world, and the Massachusetts senators in particular, know what kind of a hair pin he proposes to be, when once he fairly buckles on the new official harness. Hence his official organ says of him:

Those who have feared, or affected to fear that under his direction the custom house would be applied to illegitimate political operations, may at once allay their anxiety, as nothing of the sort will happen. At the same time it may as well be generally understood now, and once for all, that Worthington will not regard his appointment to this important office as disfranchising or debarring him from the active participation in political affairs which, in common with every intelligent citizen, is his right and duty.

SEVERAL of our republican contemporaries are discussing the propriety of early conventions for the nomination of candidates for the offices to be filled this fall, and they all favor late conventions. In this they come to a very sensible conclusion. The people are wearied with the frequently recurring political contests thrust upon them, and *they* desire as much relief as can be afforded consistent with the necessities of a campaign. Long nominations result in either an unnecessarily protracted contest or a sudden relapse into indifference after the nominations are made until the proper time for active work arrives. There is nothing in the present condition of affairs which requires early nominations.—*Kankakee Gazette.*

POLITICAL GOSSIP.

Five of the Republican nominees on the Pennsylvania State ticket are lawyers.

The Vermont Republican convention is called to meet at Montpelier Wednesday, June 21, to nominate a state ticket.

The Republican convention for the Twentieth Illinois Congressional District, to nominate a candidate for congress, is called to meet at Cairo, July 13.

It is reported that Georgia's "favorite son," Alex. H. Stephens, will not accept a nomination for Governor at the hands of the "Independents," but would run as the regular democratic candidate.

The democrats of Indiana propose to fight the fall campaign on the issue of submitting the question of prohibition to the people. The republicans place themselves on the tenable ground that the people should be permitted to vote on the question if they wish to.

Voters in Pennsylvania who are over nice about selecting the candidates they vote for will have an unusual variety from which to choose this year. There will probably be five state tickets in the field.

Stephen W. Lindsey, member of Congress from the Third Maine District, said recently to a friend in Portland, who asked him in regard to Mr. Blaine's rumored candidacy for Congress, that just prior to his departure from Washington he put the question point-blank to Mr. Blaine, and that gentleman replied with positiveness that he was not a candidate for Congress nor for any other place. Mr. Blaine also remarked that as he was not in full accord with the Arthur Administration, and would be obliged to antagonize it if a member of Congress, he greatly preferred, for the next two years at least, to remain in private life.

ADMITTING all that is alleged against the bossism of Don Cameron, what manner of men are they who are fighting him, in the name of reform? Simply a parcel of disappointed office-seekers, led on by one Wolfe, a disinterested and reformatory patriot, who but recently offered to sell out the whole "independent" movement for an office at the hands of Boss Cameron himself. Concerning the efforts of this Wolfe, and of MacVeagh, together with one or two other "reformers," to cheat their duped followers and barter away the cause of reform for "spoils," the New York *Herald* makes these pertinent suggestions:

"When the "independent" republicans of Pennsylvania held a conference recently in the Continental hotel at Philadelphia, if some audacious speaker in their gathering had ventured to assert that it consisted in about equal proportions of impostors and dupes, and that some of its chief abettors and participators were privately dickering with Boss Cameron for spoils, it is impossible to exaggerate the indignation with which his remarks would have been received. But would he not have told the truth? What was Mr. Wolfe doing, as subsequent events have disclosed? Dickering with the Boss for a nomination on the regular republican state ticket for his friend Rawle. Yet it was the identical Mr. Wolfe who was the standard bearer of the true goodness of 'independent' republicanism only a year ago; and it was the identical Mr. MacVeagh who never wearies of informing the public how much better he is than his party, and bewailing the 'spoils system' and the 'boss system.'"

For men engaged in a sincere and honest effort at political reform the public can have nothing but respect. But a more preposterous humbug and pretentions fraud does not exist than your professional "anti-boss," "anti-machine" civil service reformer. If you would witness a speedy abatement of his reformatory zeal, engage some "boss" to give him a chance at the "spoils."—*Quincy Whig.*

MANUFACTURERS of good, genuine butter and consumers, who are often swindled by the various compounds now placed upon the market under the name of butter, will be pleased to learn that at last, after nearly every means had been exhausted looking to the suppression of this traffic, there is a prospect that honest makers and unsuspecting consumers will be protected. A sub-committee of the Ways and Means Committee of the House of Representatives have reported to the full committee a bill providing for the imposition of a tax of 10 cents per pound on oleomargarine and kindred products, and requiring that the packages containing the concoctions shall be plainly and durably stamped with the name of their contents, so that no one can be deceived. Within the past three years the manufacture of spurious butter has grown to be a paying business, with large amounts of money invested. The stuff which has been offered in lieu of genuine butter has been improved to such a degree that even good judges are often deceived. As it could be offered at from 9 to 12 cents per pound, and readily sold at from 25 to 40 cents, the inducements to go into the business have been very great, and even in first-class dairy regions factories have been started, much to the injury of the honest butter-makers.

MR. O'DONOVAN ROSSA is a man who talks altogether too much. He recently told a reporter that it was "his party" who assassinated Lord Cavendish and Mr. Burke, and that they were on their way to this country. It is not often that a man who is as much interested in a murder as Rossa pretends to be would give any information that could possiby lead to the discovery of the conspirators. Mr. O'Donovan Rossa probably don't know anything at all about the murderers, though he has contributed more to the phrenzy that would end in the assassinations above mentioned than any man on the face of the earth.

THE great all wool Cassimere Suits at B. Stine's, the Boss Clothier. M5-dtf

NEWS BY TELEGRAPH.

THE "INDEPENDENTS."

Their Pennsylvania Ticket.

WASHINGTON TOPICS.

The Continued Dead Lock.

WASHINGTON, May 24.—The President is having a very serious time selecting the tariff commission. The discovery made yesterday that Kirkwood is not eligible by reason of having been elected a senator of the congress which passed the bill, disconcerts the president, who, it is said, introduced him as a nucleus around which to form the commission.

The republicans believe they will have a quorum in the house this afternoon. Messrs. Hawk and Farwell arrived last night, and only one or two more are needed to obtain a quorum. It is believed they will be here to-day. The democrats, will, however, fight the case at every step.

Mackey publishes a statement today claiming he was really elected by 9,000 majority, but defrauded of his rights by the democrats.

The president is still considering the court martial case of Flipper, the only colored officer in the army, and will probably modify the finding of the court martial, so as not to dismiss Flipper from the service.

Reed's papers, which were signed yesterday by Guiteau, are said to be for habeas corpus, and asking a commission de 'unatico inquirendo, and asking the president to suspend sentence until after the October meeting of the supreme court. Corkhill says the report that he intends to direct the examination of Guiteau's brain is untrue. He has no authority.

Minister Hunt, who sails for Russia Tuesday, will be accompanied by the ex-Russian and French Ministers to the United States.

The republicans scored a good point in the election fight to-day. Hewitt had written a letter criticising the course of the committee in the Mackey-Dibble case, with the special purpose of having it published. Mr. Calkins rose to a personal explanation in defense of the committee, and in so doing he scored the other side unmercifully for its course in the contest. He showed so clearly that the course of the committee had been fair and above reproach that the other side were actually unwilling to attempt a reply. After Calkins had stated the grounds of the committee, he offered to permit Atherton, who represented the minority of the committee, to state his side, if Calkins could reply to him. To this Randall and Reagan objected, amid applause and shouts from the republican side, who recognized the revolt as a victory for the republicans in the fight which the democrats had themselves brought on. Calkins' explanations of the course of the committee and the affidavit of Mackey which he had read, upset the charges of crookedness in the case and unfairness in the committee. Randall now continued filibustering with a motion to adjourn, the democrats refusing to vote. It is understood Calkins has a quorum, and will bring them to the front at the proper time. Calkins is making an excellent record for himself in this fight, showing fine ability and excellent self control, and is spoken of as the coming man for speaker of the next house.

Fulkerson, the Virginia readjuster, who has been working with the democrats, to day voted with the republicans, and it is understood he will do so in the future.

On the motion to adjourn, 148 voted no, and one aye, showing that the republicans have a quorum. At the close of the vote Muldrow, of Mississippi, who had voted with the republicans for the purpose of having the right to move to reconsider, made a motion to that effect and demanded the yeas and nays. So the filibustering goes on.

The fight between New York and Philadelphia for the possession of the Mint is growing very warm. New York wants it moved from Philadelphia to Governor's Island. Philadelphia wants it to remain there and be enlarged. The fight is likely to come up in the house after the election is over, in the shape of a bill for the enlargement of the mint.

PHILADELPHIA, May 24.—At the Independent Republican Convention Geo. Lear, president of the regular convention, was on the platform. Prayer was offered by the prohibition leader in the state. Senator Mitchell was enthusiastically made temporary chairman and made a ringing speech, predicting victory at the election. He hoped the atmosphere of Pennsylvania would be too pure for any Republican willing to be a political slave. There must be leaders, but not bosses. The latter must be torn up, root and branch. He would be glad to say the president would support the civil service system, but there was yet no indication of it. What had been achieved at Chicago had not been borne out by the present administration. He said he had approved the election of Garfield. When the roll of delegates was called, Wolfe's name drew out such applause that he was called to the platform, and merely said, "I am here." The committee on resolutions reported a platform which was frequently applauded, especially the anti-Stalwart planks. It was adopted. Mayor Merrick nominated for governor ex-Chief Justice Agnew. Dr. Doane nominated John Stewart. Wayne MacVeagh's name was proposed, but withdrawn, as it was said he would not accept.

Justice Agnew's name was withdrawn, and Senator Stewart declared the choice of the assemblage for gubernatorial honors.

The ticket was made up as follows: Lieutenant Governor, Levi Bird Duff, of Allegheny; Secretary of Internal Affairs, Major Merrick; Congressman-at-Large, Col. Wm. McMichael; Judge of Supreme Court, George Junkin.

Col. Duff, of Pittsburg, the nominee for Lieutenant Governor, said he would accept it. He regarded the convention as that of the republican party. By the blunder made at Chicago in giving the minority the vice-presidency, and the accident of Garfield's death, the minority had obtained the powers of government and that faction is using that power for its own purposes. The speaker intended to stay with the party and had no doubt which is the party. Merrick, Wolf and Mapes followed. Adjourned sine die.

CHICAGO, May 24.—A conference of distillers and brewers, wholesale and retail liquor dealers, with a view to a National organization in the interests of the business, and to oppose sumptuary legislation, was held here to-day. The states of Minnesota, Iowa, Nebraska, Wisconsin, Michigan, Illinois, Indiana, Ohio, Missouri and New York were represented.—Committees on the National organization of the interest represented, on the National personal liberty league, on resolutions and on apportionment were appointed. Several addresses were read, among them one by Mayor Harrison, and extended resolutions were adopted, the tenor of which was that the body was not intended to fight temperance, in the sense of sobriety, but to oppose prohibition as interference with personal liberty. It was resolved to stand by the dealers in Iowa in the fight against prohibition. The society was named the National Distillers and Liquor Dealers Association. The next, which will be the first annual meeting of the body, will be held in Milwaukee.

CHICAGO, May 24.—The San Francisco *Chronicle's* Washington special says: Charles Reed, Guiteau's lawyer, was asked this evening by the *Chronicle* correspondent what would be his next move. He said, "I do not know. I am reading the newspapers carefully, and will try and find out. If worst comes to worst, I will ask for a postponement of the execution until fall. Guiteau has never thought he would be hanged. He got mad yesterday on receiving a letter from some fellow in Colorado who offered him $1,000 for the privilege of pulling the drop that should hang him. He said he was a street peddler of medicines, and the notoriety he would get by the act would more than compensate him."

EUREKA SPRINGS, Ark., May 24.—The health of Senator Hill, of Georgia, who has been here several weeks drinking the healing waters of these springs, is much improved, and his physicians say that there is strong hope of a cure, or at least that his life will be greatly prolonged.

WASHINGTON, May 24.—H. J. Caldwell, a leading lawyer of Colorado, who has been arguing some important town-site matters before the Secretary of the Interior, leaves for the West to-night.

The Farmer's Endless Chain.

It is said by a well-known Illinois educator that "the average western farmer toils hard, early and late, often depriving himself of needed rest and sleep—for what? To raise corn. For what? To feed hogs. For what? To get money to buy more land. For what? To raise more corn. For what? To feed more hogs. For what? To get more money to buy more land. For what? To raise more corn. For what? To feed more hogs. For what? To buy more land. And what does he want with more land? Why he wishes to raise more corn—to feed more hogs—to buy more land—to raise more corn—to feed more hogs."

The Inter-Ocean Show.

The great Inter-Ocean Show will be here next Monday. This circus and menagerie, under the management of Batcheller & Doris, has met with the most flattering success this year—success, however that is well merited, as their show is in every respect the best now on the road. The managers determined to be at the head of their profession and have spared neither time nor money in achieving this result. During the past winter their agents scoured Europe, Asia and Africa in search of novelties, and bagged the best attractions extant—in many cases, to gain their aims, paying almost fabulous sums. The result of their labors is seen in the colossal aggregation of which they are at the head. Their every performance is superior, excelling anything of its kind ever seen in this country. Its menagerie represents many fortunes expended in rare animals, birds, reptiles, and wonders of the sea and air. In its museum is Millie Christine, the "two-headed nightingale," a young woman with but one body, with two heads, four arms and four legs. For this natural curiosity a salary of $25,000 is paid for the season. The street pageant is made a feature of this season, and is the most gorgeous ever seen, introducing the famous $10,000 beauty.

THE adoration which Alexander H. Stephens' neighbors feel for him is illustrated or ridiculed by an architectural story told in the region of Crawfordsville. It is said that when several years ago Mr. Stephens altered his house, every resident of the village, accepting his amendments as constitutional, forthwith made needed repairs in or upon their houses. It is further said that not another nail has been driven in Crawfordsville since that year, nor will be again until the sound of Mr. Stephens' hammer is heard again.

IF you want to buy a Steel Engraving, Oil Painting or Chromo, or have a picture framed, go to Wallace's Book Store. You will find these articles in large variety, and at lowest prices.
May 20-d&w1w

SEE the grand display of Spring and Summer Clothing at
m11-d&wtf CHEAP CHARLEY'S.

$10 to $15 saved by buying one of those light-running "Domestic" Sewing Machines while we are selling them at cost. This offer holds good only until the 25th.
22-d5 J. T. HAND & Co.

Lieut. Danenhower, of the ill-fated Jeanette expedition, is expected to reach this city, his home, next Wednesday. His mother is now in Philadelphia, in anticipation of his early arrival. There was a meeting held to-day of the prominent citizens here and a committee of fifteen appointed to make preparations for a reception and banquet when he reaches here.

Summer Excursions.

The Illinois Central railroad presents unusual attractions this season to the health and pleasure seekers.

They have placed on sale at all prominent points round trip tickets to St. Paul via Dubuque, and the famous "Flying Dutchman" train of the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul railway, which skirts the banks of the Mississippi for almost the entire distance, making the trip a most delightful one. Those who have visited St. Paul and surroundings need not be told of its attractions. Others, new to that locality, and desiring information, will please call upon the undersigned for a bill—"Up the Mississippi by the 'Flying Dutchman,'" and address Mr. A. V. H. Carpenter, general passenger agent, C. M. & St. P. Ry., Milwaukee, Wis., for a copy of a pamphlet entitled "Through to St. Paul and Minneapolis."

All information as to rates, tickets, etc., cheerfully furnished.

W. S. NICHOLS,
Agt., Ill. Central,
dawtf Decatur, Ill.

We Give Away

12 yards of the best, fast color 8½c Calico, or 12 yards of Knickerbocker Novelty Suiting, with every purchase of $5.00 or over. *All goods marked in plain selling figures.* CHEAP STORE.
Big 18. 24-d&w1w

DO NOT fail to see those fine Kilt Suits just received at Decatur's One Price Clothing and Merchant Tailoring House, corner of Old Square.
April 20-d&wtf

C. D. NIMS

Will open on Thursday, May 25th, a

MEAT MARKET

At No. 37 North Church Street, in E. R. Pratt's old stand. Will keep on hand a CHOICE LOT OF MEATS. Also

FRESH SWEET MILK,

By the Glass, Pint, Quart or Gallon, just to suit. Give me a call.
Decatur, Ill., May 24, 1882.—2w

NOTICE.

To All Whom it May Concern:

You will take notice that the undersigned intends making application to the regular meeting of the city council in June, A. D., 1882, for a license to retail intoxicating liquors in a house situated on lot No. 9, block No. 1, H. Prather's Addition to Decatur, said house owned by James Millikin.

Dated Decatur, Ill., this 22d day of May, 1882.
22—d2w* PATRICK W. FINN.

ELECTION NOTICE.

OFFICE BOARD OF EDUCATION,
DECATUR, ILL., May 22, 1882.

NOTICE is hereby given that an election will be held at the Court House in Decatur, on the first Tuesday in June next, for the purpose of electing one member of the Board of Education to serve for the term of three years. Said election will be opened at 3 o'clock p. m. and close at 6 o'clock p. m.

W. A. BARNES, President.
E. A. GASTMAN, Clerk.
May 22, 1882-d1d

Subscriptions at Par

Can now be

MADE TO THE STOCK

—in the—

SECOND SERIES

—of the—

SAVINGS FUND BUILDING ASSOCIATION,

Series commencing on the

Last Tuesday, 30th Day, of May,

At the office of

WARREN & DURFEE.

K. H. ROBY, President.
C. A. EWING, Vice President.
B. K. DURFEE, Sec. and Treasurer.
May 5-dtf

To Lumber Dealers.

CITY CLERK'S OFFICE,
Decatur, Ill., May 1, 1882.

SEALED PROPOSALS will be received by the undersigned until June 1st, 1882, to furnish the city of Decatur oak and pine lumber, delivered at the city yard, at such times and in such quantities as the purchasing committee may order it.

GEO. P. HARDY,
May 3-dtd City Clerk.

FARMS FOR SALE!

E. O. SMITH

Is desirous of selling a

PORTION of HIS FARMING LAND

situated in Macon county, near Dalton and Hervey City. For particulars inquire of

GEO. W. BRIGHT,

DECATUR NATIONAL BANK,

or O. L. KENDAL, Dalton City, who will show parties the land.
May 15, 1882—d&wtf

ELIAS TRAINER. JOHN TRAINER.

TRAINER BROS.,

Manufacturers of
LOCK LUNCH VALISES,
LOCK SUGAR BOXES,
METALLIC MARKET BASKETS,
METALLIC BUTTER BASKETS,
RAT PROOF MILK COVERS.
Tinware Mended Cheaply.

S. E. Corner City Park, Decatur, Ill.
May 24, 1882—d&w3mo

FOUND AT LAST!

AN OVERALL

THAT WLL NOT RIP.

EVERY PAIR WARRANTED.

For Sale only by

JOHN IRWIN,

White Front, Post Office Block.
March 22—d&wtf

SHELLABARGER'S Patent Process Flour retains all the nourishment contained in the wheat. None of its virtues are wasted. Try it. Dec18-d&wtf

THERE are many forms of nervous debility in men, that yield to the use of Carter's Iron Pills. Those who are troubled with nervous weakness, night sweats, etc., should try them. Sold by Hubbard & Swearingen. 19

WANTED, LOST, FOUND, &c.

[Notices in this column, of five lines or less, will be inserted one week for 25 cents, payable in advance. No trade advertisements inserted in this column.]

TO RENT—A house of four rooms, nearly new. A family of no children preferred. Enquire of R. N. HAM. 25-d6t

FRESH—Milch cow for sale. Inquire of D. A. Mallt. 25-d6t

WANTED—A girl to do general housework. Telephone or call on Mrs. D. A. Mallt immediately. 25-d6t

CORN FOR SALE.—I have a lot of corn in the ear, which I will sell by the load at 72 cents per bushel. DAVID GARVER.
24-d2w* No. 20 East Prairie street.

CRITIC—What is a school teacher? A school teacher is a mason, who has to lay a good and solid foundation to a child's life from morality, beauty and reason. Does this country school teacher who stops in town a couple of days every week, understand this programme? I don't believe it, because his stubborness don't allow it.
24-d6* ROBERT KRAFT.

SCROLL SAWING and Turning done to order at Will C. Andress' factory, corner of Franklin and Cerro Gordo streets.
May 21dtf

REMOVAL—The Penlwell feed store has been removed from North Main street to the Billy Niedermeyer building, five doors west of the old square on West Main street.
May 23d6

A CULTURED gentleman, aged 37, spending the summer here, would like to communicate with a respectable family with a view of renting a furnished room or boarding; or would pay liberally those who have not been in the habit of doing so, yet are willing to extend the comforts and social influences of a quiet, refined home to one who would appreciate it. Could bring another gentleman if desired. Reference satisfactory. Address for ten days, P. O. Box 330, Decatur.
May 20—d1w*

FOR RENT.—A nice brick house of nine rooms, nice pantry and wash house, and good, dry cellar, good barn, and wood and coal house, plenty of shade and fruit trees, large beautiful yard, good well and cistern—for one year if desired. Possession given about June first. Apply at premises, No. 25 West Cerro Gordo street, Decatur, Ill. L. D. ALLEN.
May 19-d2w*

DO you want the best stand in Decatur for a boarding house?
Do you want a good grocery room, outside stand, low rent, no competition?
Do you want a lot near coal mine for $100?
Do you want a farm for your house and lot?
Apply to J. E. KISNEY, room 9 Powers' block.
May 19-d1w*

J. M. LOWRY, Justice of the Peace and Collecting Agent, writes and certifies the acknowledgment of deeds, mortgages, leases, releases, and other instruments neatly and correctly. Office, Powers' Block, room No. 2, Decatur, Illinois. may 18-d1y

PLANTS—Cabbage and Sweet Potato Plants, fresh, hardy and nice, sold at low figures, at Dunham's, on West Main street. 17-d2w

AGENTS WANTED—Something new. Ladies, gents and boys to sell an article that every household wants. $5 to $10 a day easily made. Call on J. T. HANDS,
May 16-d2w* Decatur, Ill.

SAND—I have the best building and plastering sand in the city. All orders left at Joseph Michl's, Mills & Harry's, or at the brewery, will be promptly attended to. Sand bank on South Broadway.
March 30—d&wtf EDWARD FRANCIS.

GORIN & BILLS are now prepared to issue drafts on England, Ireland, France, Germany, and other points in Europe. They are also agents for the
HAMBURG AMERICAN PACKET CO.
If you want a draft on any point in the old country, or wish to visit any place in England, Ireland, France, Germany, Italy, &c., or if you desire any of your friends to come to this country, they guarantee that the person named in the passage ticket shall receive it, and that they shall have safe passage to Decatur or any point named in the ticket. Excursion tickets to any part of Europe, good for 76 days, at very low rates.
Decatur, May 15, 1882—d1mo.

CHOICE BUILDING LOTS can be had on Bradford street, just east of Water street, by parties who will improve some this year at 10 per cent. off regular price on one-third payments. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.
May 5—d1mo

FOR SALE—
Four Dwelling Houses and Lots on West Prairie street.
4 Dwelling Houses and Lots on North Main st.
2 Dwelling Houses and Lots on Macon street
3 Dwelling Houses and Lots in 1st Rolling Mill Addition.
2 Dwelling Houses and Lots on Wood street; one a fine residence.
4 Dwelling Houses and Lots on South Main st.
2 Dwelling Houses and Lots on West " "
2 Dwelling Houses and Lots on East William.
1 Dwelling House and Lot on North College st.
2 Dwelling Houses and Lots in Wait & Co.'s Addition.
1 two-story brick Business House on East Main street.
20 Lots in Peddecord & Burrows' and Lake & Co.'s Additions.
4 Lots in Oglesby's Addition.
4 Lots in Higgins' Addition.
2 Business Lots on South Water street, and many other lots in different portions of the city.
A number of Farms in Macon and Piatt counties.
Lands in Kansas, Nebraska, Iowa and Texas for sale or exchange for city or country property. GORIN & BILLS.
Decatur, Ill., May 3—d1mo

REAL ESTATE OFFICE of Kaufman & Randolph, over Decatur National Bank. Parties wanting to buy or sell property will do well to call on the above. 7-d2

SOME very desirable lots on West William street, as nice as can be found in the city, suitable for fine residences.
7-d2 KAUFMAN & RANDOLPH.

WE have property all over the city for sale. Also lots from $175 to $2,000 each.
7-2d KAUFMAN & RANDOLPH.

CHEAP LOTS.—For sale to parties intending to build. Apply to MONTGOMERY & SHUTT, Powers' Block. mar1dtf

NICE high, dry dwelling lots,—six blocks from old square—good shade, excellent drainage, lots 60 by 150, and stable lots across alley in addition 60x70; cheap. Also in same locality lots 50 feet, fronting on good street.
7-d2 KAUFMAN & RANDOLPH.

FOR RENT—Rooms on second floor over "Fleury's," now occupied as "Dress-making Parlors."
Feb. 18—dtf J. M. CLOKEY.

FURNITURE

Selected from the
Best Manufactories.
Parlor Suits,
YOU Bed Room Sets
Easy Chairs,
Sewing Chairs,
Patent Rockers,
Mirrors, CAN
Dining Room Outfits,
Bed Lounges,
Spring Beds,
Mattresses,
Pillows,
SAVE All Fresh,
New Goods,
Bought for Cash,
To be sold at a
Very Small Profit.
Rogers' Silverware,
40 Styles Lamps, MONEY
Glassware,
Queensware,
Bird Cages,
AT Cooking Stoves,
Quick Bakers,
Gasoline Stoves,
Kitchen Outfits,
Refrigerators, LIDDLE'S
Cream Freezers,
20 Styles of
Baby Carriages,
Etc., Etc., Etc.

Everything you want for Housekeeping, at Lower Prices than ever.

Goods Carefully Packed and Shipped without Extra Charge.

☞ You are respectfully requested to call and see the Goods on sale in the Four Large Store Rooms in Court House Block.

R LIDDLE.
March 15—d&w

THE A. T. STEWART DODGE!

Is very fine to all who wish to believe it, but as their prices on all *staple* and *desirable* goods are no less than any *live* houses offer them, and as we do not want *undesirable* ones at any price, we are like Mulligan at the free fight, "Consider us out" of the Stewart business, unless they present something more desirable than they have done.

This, however, does not prevent us showing the Handsomest and Cheapest line of

Plain and Fancy Summer Silks

EVER OFFERED IN THE CITY.

We offer a line of 21-inch assorted colors Silk at 85 cents that are a *wonderful bargain*, and our 65 cent Summer Silks are better quality *than you ever saw for near the price*, and our BLACK SILKS, starting at 50 cents per yard, 75c, 90c, $1.00 and upwards, cannot be *surpassed for quality in the world!* Our CASHMERES, NUNS' VEILING and Novelties in DRESS GOODS, at the great reduction made last week, are *lower than any one else show them.*

We have reduced a full line of SUN SHADES and PARASOLS, and offer one of the best lines of domestic and regular STOCKINGS we ever owned, among them a case of Hairline Domestic at 15c, former price 25c.

We offer *all best makes* AMERICAN GINGAMS at 8½ cts., and a very good one at 5c. Our 2-cent PRINTS is what you have been paying 5c for, and we show *the best* Chintz styles made at 5 cents.

Our stock of LACES, LACE COLLARS, LINEN COLLARS and EMBROIDERIES, is *simply immense*, comprising all the new novelties, and at the lowest.

To not enumerate articles, we will state that *we have the goods, new* and *stylish*, and *more coming every day*, and you can *depend on it*, that *no one under any circumstances* shall undersell us on anything.

F. L. HAYS & CO.

May 8—d&wtf

We carry the Largest Assortment of

WATCHES, CLOCKS,

JEWELRY, SILVERWARE,

And NOVELTIES in our line in Decatur. Our stock this spring is very large, and embraces many Styles found nowhere else in this city.

OUR PRICES ARE ALWAYS THE LOWEST

And all Goods sold will be

Guaranteed Just as Represented.

☞ Do not buy anything in our line until you have seen our stock and learned our prices.

W. R. ABBOTT & Co.

DECATUR'S RELIABLE JEWELERS.

Oct. 20, 1881—d&wdmo

HATS! HATS! SHIRTS.

STETSON'S HATS a Specialty

KEELER.

March 10, 1882—dtf

JOHN IRWIN'S CLOTHING

IS PERFECT IN FIT,
UNEXCELLED IN STYLE,
MODERATE IN PRICE,
AND ENTIRELY NEW.

— HE KEEPS —

MEN'S CLOTHES,
YOUTHS' CLOTHES,
BOYS' CLOTHES,

And mothers will rejoice when they see his fine line of

CHILDREN'S KILT SUITS.

He also has a full line of

HATS,

GLOVES, RUBBER GOODS, TRUNKS and SATCHELS, and the finest line of GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS in the State outside of Chicago.
March 23-d&wtf

LEGITIMATE

—AND—

GENERAL REDUCTIONS

—IN—

Dress Goods, Ginghams, Jeans,
Cottonades, Ticking, Denims,
Lawns, Prints, Cashmeres,
Dress and Trimming Silks, Laces,
Lace Neckwear, Hosiery, Parasols,
Bed Spreads and Spring Wraps.

We offer to-day, AT A GENERAL REDUCTION THROUGHOUT, a very handsome and splendid line of the above named goods. Our entire stock is fresh and new in every department, and our prices, considering the class of goods we offer, the LOWEST of any house in the city. We do not bait customers on Domestics or other low-priced goods and take advantages on higher priced or finer goods to get even. Uniform prices, small profits, and plain selling figures, are the rule with us.

See and price our stock in detail.

(Big) No. 18 Merchant Street. CHEAP STORE. SOL. MORITZ & CO

WE HAVE NOW FINISHED THE REFITTING OF OUR STORE.

—OUR STOCK OF—

WATCHES, CLOCKS, SILVERWARE,

FORKS, SPOONS, KNIVES, CARVING SETS,

JEWELRY of All Kinds,

—AND—

DIAMONDS!

IS LARGER THAN EVER.

The new Show Cases give us a chance to place on display a great many goods heretofore kept in the safe. It makes no difference what you may want in our line, we show three times the quantity you can find in town, and offer you prices lower than can be offered by any smaller dealers.

COME IN AND SEE OUR DISPLAY

AND GET OUR PRICES.

It will *cost you nothing to look*, and if OUR LOW PRICES DON'T SELL YOU THE GOODS WE WILL NOT TEAR YOUR CLOTHES.

NO GOODS SOLD THAT WE CANNOT WARRANT.

— We will keep up —

Our Special Drive on Watches!

That is a department of our business where we can

Save You From 15 to 25 Per Cent.,

And give you your choice between

ROCKFORD, WALTHAM,
ELGIN, HAMPDEN,
SPRINGFIELD, HOWARD,

— As well as the —

Fine Swiss and Imported Goods.

We are not compelled to talk any particular make of Watch, because it is the only kind we carry, for we CARRY THEM ALL.

O. E. CURTIS & CO.

LEADING JEWELERS.

May 9 d&wtf

ABEL & LOCKE

Are receiving Carloads of

SELECT PATTERNS. ELEGANT STYLES.

CARPETS

WALL PAPER.

RICH COLORINGS. DURABLE QUALITY.

—AND—

CURTAINS,

Which are being sold at a GREAT BARGAIN.

An Absolute Fact.

You can buy Dress Goods of S. G. Hatch & Bro. cheaper than any other House in this city.

You can buy Table Linens, Towels, Turkey Reds, Napkins, Crashes, &c., cheaper than elsewhere.

You can buy Cottonades, Cheviots, Jeans, Tweeds, &c., cheaper than you ever saw them.

A special offering of Kentucky Jeans at much less than value.

Special prices on Millinery, Ribbons, Laces, Trimmed and Untrimmed Bonnets and Hats. Now is the best time to buy.

Inspection solicited.

S. G. HATCH & BRO.,
May 17—d&wtf NO 10 MERCHANT STREET.

D. F. Hamsher,

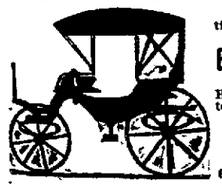
—DEALER IN—

BUGGIES,

PHÆTONS, SPRING WAGONS, ETC.,

And the Manufacturer of the Celebrated

HAMSHER IRON FELLOE FARM WAGON.



You are cordially invited to visit his Factory at any time, and to examine his stock of

BUGGIES, FARM AND SPRING WAGONS.

He guarantees to give you the fullest satisfaction, both as to style and quality of work and prices.

Factory on Wood street, between South Main and South Water streets. [apr4d&w3mo

The Daily Republican.

TERMS.

Per week, payable to Carrier,	*15 Cts.*
One year, in advance,	*$7.00*
Six Months, "	*3.50*
Three Months, "	*1.75*

THURSDAY EVENING, MAY 25, 1882.

LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS.

THE largest assortment of Lawn Vases in the city at
E. D. BARTHOLOMEW & Co.'s.

THE $10 Suits at Stine's. M5-dtf

THE Grand Jury has adjourned *sine die.*

THE jury in the Hurd case has not yet agreed upon a verdict.

GET fresh golden butter and vegetables in season at Niedermyer's, on the Mound.

FOUR more days and then will come the festive circus.

GREAT REDUCTION in canned goods at
22-d6 YOUNG BROS.

THE Decatur Cornet Band will go with the Turners to Peoria on Sunday.

BUY the "Domestic" sewing machines sold by Hand & Co.

STINE'S $10 all wool Cassimere Suits. M5-dtf

MR. ELDRIDGE came near losing his client yesterday forenoon. But Tom was too quick for Lizzie.

A TELEGRAM was received at this office yesterday, calling for printers wanted at Springfield.

THE only latest styles in Decatur of men's low shoes are at
May 20-dtf L. L. FERRISS & Co.'s.

THE front of Curtis & Co.'s store is receiving a fresh coat of paint. Elmer Culver is putting it on in fine style.

GET Haines Bros.' superb pianos at C. B. Prescott's in opera block. His terms are easy and prices low.

GENTLE Pony for sale. Apply to
24-d6 W. J. QUINLAN.

THE high school commencement exercises will commence at the opera house at 9 a. m., on Friday, June 2d.

DON'T forget that all first-class dealers sell Schroeder's celebrated Bohemian cigars—a nickel each.

SEE the new goods and low prices at the big store of L. L. FERRISS & Co.
May 20-dtf

THE opera of "Patience" will be given here next Wednesday evening by the Ford troupe.

William Eckels paid us an agreeable call last evening and talked about the past and present in Pennsylvania.

ESPECIALLY adapted for mechanics and workingmen—the $10 all wool Suits at Stine's. M5-dtf

THERE was another large congregation at the Christian church last evening to hear the discourse delivered by Elder Pinkerton.

CHOCOLATE, Lemon and Vanilla Ice Cream, at WOOD BROS.', 22 Merchant St.
25-d3d

A DRENCHING rain prevailed in this section for several hours last night. Good for wheat, but bad for farmers behind in planting corn.

LAST evening was a bad night for strolling lovers, consequently the consumption of gas and kerosene was increased somewhat.

THE popular suits of the season, Stine's $10 Suits. M5-dtf

THE Illinois Woman's Suffrage Convention, which is in session at Moline to-day, will reach an adjournment to-morrow.

THE P., D. & E. Co. has bought over 30,000 ties at Greenup, Illinois, during the past six months, for which they have paid out about $6,000.

GO TO Peter Ullrich's and get a bar of that Magnetic Soap; no washboard or boiling of cloth necessary; washing done in one-half the time, and guaranteed not to injure the finest fabric. 13-dtf

THIS afternoon the members of the Natural Philosophy classes at the high school will visit the city water works and the Decatur Bagging Factory, accompanied by Mr. Conradt, the teacher.

MESSRS. Braw & Quigley, of Kenney, have sold their tile factory to Lundy & Wallace, of Decatur, for $5,490 and given possession. They gave $4,000 for the property about a year ago. Dr. Wallace and Mr. Lundy will enlarge the business.

LAST night Sheriff Foster arrested Samuel Myers on a bench warrant, charging him with selling liquor without license. He gave bail for his appearance for trial. This morning James W. Clark was taken in custody on a bench warrant for keeping a gaming house.

THE funeral of the late Mrs. J. E. Moffett, whose death was announced yesterday, will take place from the residence of Mr. J. E. Bendure this afternoon at four o'clock. The services will be conducted by Rev. S. B. N. Vaughn, of Salem Church, and the remains will be interred in Greenwood Cemetery.

THE copy for the programme of the high school commencement exercises at the opera house, is now in the hands of the compositors in the REPUBLICAN job room. The matter was arranged by Mr. J. N. Wilkinson. The exercises being lengthy will commence at 9 o'clock on the morning of June 2d.

No taffy necessary to sell Stines all wool $10 Suits. M5-dtf

IT IS stated that Champaign has passed a liquor ordinance forbidding saloon keepers to have chairs, tables, sofas, or any other articles upon which people can sit, in their saloons. The ordinance also forbids the painting of the windows or the erection of screens. The bar must be near the front door and no curtains or anything else must interfere with a full view from the street. This is exposing the whisky business pretty effectively, and is rough on those persons who don't care to be seen before the bar too often.

THE report of the Statistical Secretary to the State Sunday School convention held at Champaign last week showed that the Sunday school workers of Illinois, during the year, have held 1038 conventions, sustained 6182 Sunday schools, with 64,316 teachers and officers, and 485,469 pupils, making a total membership of 549,785; additions to churches from Sunday schools, 10,352; money used in schools $143,000. It shows Illinois to be the banner state in the matter of Sunday school work.

WHEN you buy your CLOTHING of CHEAP CHARLEY, you pay only manufacturers' prices. m11-dawtf

A MODEL FAMILY MANSION.

Built at a Cost of $20,000 Under the Direction of Mr. Will O. McNabb.

The Geo. D. Haworth Residence as Seen by a "Republican" Reporter.

While the towns and cities round about Decatur are from five to ten years behind our bustling city in the steady march of improvements—those substantial improvements that are the best signs of a prosperous, healthy growth—our manufacturers and men of money whose interests are here and are wedded to Decatur have generally become affected by the building fever, the results of which are so plainly apparent in all parts of the city.

Decatur can boast with pardonable pride of having a greater number of elegantly appointed residences than any city of her size in the west, and the tourist will travel far and wide before he will find as pleasantly situated and beautiful a residence place as our own fair city.

'TIS FINISHED.

The latest addition to Decatur's most costly residences is the magnificent brick structure just finished on the southeast corner of East Eldorado and Jackson streets, at a cost of about $20,000. It is the enviable property of Mr. George D. Haworth, of the manufacturing firm of Haworth & Sons, and was commenced on June 1st, 1881. The contract was let to the architects and builders, McNabb & Son, of this city. The plans and specifications were drawn by the junior member of the firm, Mr. Will O. McNabb, who personally superintended the details of the work. That Mr. Haworth's new dwelling is a model home mansion and one of the most elegantly built and conveniently appointed residences and a decided credit to the young architect, a visit to the same will convince the most casual observer.

The other afternoon a REPUBLICAN commissioner was granted the privilege of an inspection of the dwelling, and while there he made a few notes. Viewed from either point of the compass the house presents a magnificent appearance, and indicates that neither money nor pains have been spared to make it substantial, beautiful and homelike. The structure has a frontage on Eldorado street of 43 feet, is 48 feet deep, and four stories in height, including the finely finished basement. It has an improved O. G. Mansard roof, with dormer windows and gothic ornaments. The tower, which decorates the front of the building, rises 77 feet above ground and is 26 feet higher than the roof. The front entrance is a model of architectural beauty and good taste, the wide doors being finished in the most elegant style. On the east half of the front and on the east side of the dwelling are lofty and wide verandas that are most inviting, and off the east entrance is an original design of a drive porch with symmetrical pillars for supports. This porch, which is erected over the concrete drive-way which leads from Eldorado street to the substantial stable at the rear of the wide lot, will serve as a protection to the waiting family carriage or buggy from the heat or rain while parties are arranging to enter one or the other.

On entering this modern home, one is at once impressed with the fact that Mr. Haworth has been lavish in his outlay of money in the introduction of innovations in the way of adornments and conveniences which will be referred to further on. The vestibule is 9x12 feet in size, with French plate glass windows looking east and west. The hall is 7 feet wide and extends from the north front to the side entrance, a distance of 51 feet. The most beautiful design of English tile covers the floor of the hall and of the dining-room.

The parlor, on the east side of the dwelling, is 15x20 feet in size, the lofty ceiling and walls being ornamented with the finest stucco work by foreign artists. The double windows with the inside wooden blinds so attached as to be made invisible when not closed, are of thick French plate glass. The floor of the parlor is covered with an entirely new design in carpeting, known to house decorators as American Parquetry. This parquet flooring is very expensive and is made in blocks of maple, walnut, ash, cherry and oak, with handsome center pieces of rosewood, mahogany, maple and walnut. It is simply an ornamental hard wood floor, which, by proper finish and care, will keep its color and figure and last for generations. The Venetian marble mantle in the parlor, with its gilded fenders, ebony trimmings and Anthracite grate, is certainly the finest in Decatur. On the Parian marble slabs, that form an inside border for the mantel, are familiar scenes in Shakespeare's plays that add to the beauty of the entire arrangement.

Noiseless sliding doors, heavy and thick, and elegantly finished, separate the parlor from the hall and library or family sitting-room on the west side of the dwelling. This room is 17x24½ feet in size, and in general appearance resembles the parlor, only the parquet flooring is different in design. The mantel in the library is made of Formosa marble, with decorations of Grecian fables above and at the sides of the grate.

At the rear of the library is the spacious dining-room, which is also elegantly finished. Off the dining room is the kitchen, there being altogether four rooms on the first floor, not counting the vestible, pantries and hall.

Leading from the first floor to the second is a wide stairway finished in walnut. On the second floor are the family chamber of two rooms, the guests' chamber, the servants' room, the bath room, the sewing room directly over the vestible, also numerous closets conveniently arranged. A hall 7 feet wide extends from the sewing room back to the stairway landing, separating the sleeping apartments. On the third floor, which is reached by means of the circling walnut stairway, are a number of spacious rooms that will be fitted up for various uses.

There are two bay windows on the first floor, two on the second, and one on the third floor.

In the basement, with its high ceilings is the summer kitchen, a well-appointed laundry, the summer dining-room, and a room to be used as a billard parlor, besides a family grocery and cellar.

The entire building is heated by steam, there being handsomely bronzed coils with marble tops placed in the rooms throughout the house. The heat is furnished by a Dunning self-feeding magazine and boiler, placed in the basement, and connected with all the radiators. This heater will run from 12 to 24 hours without attention, and is said to be the most perfect heater known. The ventilation has all been done on scientific principles, so that it is impossible for any foul air to remain for a moment in any of the rooms. It ascends through pipes to the top of the roof. The plumbing, steam-fitting, and placing of the coils, and the new style bronzed chandeliers and fixtures, have also been done to perfection, the contract having been let to Korsmyer & O'Neill; but it is proper to state that Mr. O'Neill gave this work his personal attention, and the result is that the firm has finished a contract that will stand the closest inspection.

Space forbids a more lengthy description of this elegant home, which will soon be furnished throughout most sumptuously. Electric bells communicate with all the rooms, the painting and graining are faultless, and the exterior and interior of the residence indicates beyond question that Decatur architects and mechanics can fill the bill to a T.

MACON CO. CIRCUIT COURT.

May Term, A. D., 1882. Judge Smith Presiding.

THURSDAY, MAY 25.

Court convened at 8:30 a. m.

CHANCERY DOCKET.

Nancy C. Dickson vs. Ashbury and Mary Childers; foreclosure; referred to master.

PEOPLE'S DOCKET.

The People vs. Owen Roney; robbery; motion by defendant for a continuance overruled. Trial by jury; verdict not guilty and defendant ordered discharged from custody.

Same vs. John Lukes; larceny; continued with alias.

Same vs. Michael Flynn; murder; same order.

Same vs. Fanvet Crepin; having deadly weapon; same order.

Same vs. Henry Holmes; three cases for violating the liquor and gaming laws; all continued with alias.

Same vs. William Miller and Elizabeth Caldwell; adultery; same order.

Same vs. Ann Houston; keeping house of ill fame; same order.

Same vs. Frank East; being accessory after the fact to larceny; nolle entered and bail discharged.

THE MRS. DAVIS CASE.

This forenoon the case of The People against Mrs. Elizabeth Davis, indicted at the December term of court for assaulting Jack Lahey with intent to murder, at "Idlewild" on Nov. 27, 1881, was called up for trial. The people, who are represented by State's Attorney Johns, announced their readiness to go to trial, and after the defendant's counsel, I. A. Buckingham, David Hutchison and Thomas Lee, had called their witnesses, they then asked a little time to consult with their client, Mrs. Davis, who was brought into court by a bailiff. The consultation had not concluded at noon when court took a recess. At 1:30 o'clock the counsel for the defense stated they were ready to go to trial, whereupon the counsel proceeded with the laborious task of selecting 12 unprejudiced citizens to listen to all the testimony that may be offered, and render a verdict according to the law and the evidence.

Jack Lahey, the man who was shot at "Idlewild," and who lay nigh unto death for several weeks in that disreputable establishment, is in attendance at the trial, and will be an important witness for the People. His wound has healed and he appears to be as stout and hearty as when he was on duty at Loeb's foundry.

The Funk Case.

This case, which has been grinding so long in the courts, will come up again in earnest in this city about the 5th of June. The able counsel who have had charge of the case will be assisted by Senator D. W. Voorhees, and probably by Hon. Emery Storrs and Ex-Gov. John M. Palmer. —*Danville News*, 24th.

This is the case in which Judge Nelson of this city is one of the attorneys for the defendant. When the case comes up for trial several residents of Decatur, who are material witnesses for Funk, will go to Danville to testify. Considerable money and property are involved in the action. Mr. Funk is a very wealthy man. He is a resident of Bloomington. The plaintiff is a woman who claims that Mr. Funk married her in Decatur a number of years ago, and that the late Samuel Steel was the officiating justice.

IT is a noteworthy fact that the public become impatient at orators who make long-winded addresses, and that speaker who makes his remarks brief and pointed is always praised for his good judgment and consideration for those who forego business and other engagements to hear him. Even preachers have departed from the old habit of expounding the gospel for from one to one and a half hours at a stretch, now generally speak no longer than 30 or 45 minutes; but long drawn out open air speeches are most objectionable, and it is to be hoped next fall when the political talkers get on the turf they will "boil it down."

WHILE at the coal shaft recently Mr. R. Liddle discovered a strange stone formation found by the miners while at work, digging in an underground gallery for dusky diamonds. This rare specimen of nature's work resembles a human head, and weighs about 50 pounds. It has a receding forehead. Viewed from the rear it looks very much like the cranium of a human being, and Mr. Liddle has called it "Cain's head;" but in order to make it suitable for general exhibition it will become necessary for some local sculptor to touch up "Cain's" face just a little in order that there may be a better expression. Probably a member of one of Decatur's art classes will volunteer to peck at the crude stone figure which Mr. Liddle now has at his store.

Complimentary.

Butler Bros. expect to open their new restaurant in Decatur about the 15th of June. Nearly one thousand dollars will be expended in putting the room in proper shape. A desirable location has been secured and all that Decaturites will be asked to do is to give the enterprising brothers a liberal patronage. As proof of their success in the restaurant business we have but to mention the Delmonico in this city, established since 1876. It has a fine reputation among traveling men, and is very popular with home people. Our neighboring city is to be congratulated upon the acquisition of such a restaurant.—*Lincoln Journal.*

The restaurant will be established in the room lately occupied by Bruce & Gassler, on the south side of the city park.

Decoration Day.

All those desiring to contribute flowers for decorating the soldiers' graves on Decoration Day, will please make them up into bouquets of suitable size to be placed in bouquet holders on each grave, and send name and residence to W. R. Abbott, and all flowers will be called for not later than 9 o'clock on the morning of Decoration Day.

B. O. MCREYNOLDS,
25-d4t W. R. ABBOTT,
WM. J. QUINLAN,
Committee.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Mrs. Uel E. Hurd, wife of the alleged perjurer, was in the court room yesterday and this forenoon.

Eli Brenneman came up from Macon this morning to arrange for the burial of the late Dottie Schultz.

It is stated that Theo. D. Hinchcliffe, of St. Louis, who is a particular friend of P. H. Broeck, is soon to wed a St. Louis belle.

Ben. Dodson has another scheme on foot. He will pilot a Chicago magician named Harz—not Hartz—through the country to gather in dimes and dollars.

Frank Cleveland has returned from Chicago, and has resumed his duties as clerk in the office of the New Deming hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Seymour, of Bainbridge, Ohio, arrived in the city to-day, and are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Fenton.

Prof. Selwin Richardson, of roller skating renown, is in the city. He has been at his home in Olney, Ill., for a number of weeks.

Mrs. Frank Reeser, wife of Frank Reeser, of the firm of Nebinger & Reeser, will leave to-night for Pennsylvania for a visit of two months among relatives and friends.

Henry B. Funk, of Monticello, has again placed us under obligations for another copy of sheet music arranged by him. It is a song and chorus, entitled "Bright dreams of the Future."

Rev. W. I. Berkstresser, of the Church of God, will offer the opening prayer at the commencement exercises, and Rev. J. P. Dimmitt will pronounce the benediction.

Master E. M. Eaton, aged 15 years, living near Edwardsville, has just qualified as a school teacher. It is stated that Master Eaton is unquestionably the youngest wielder of the switch in Illinois. Who spanks him? His ma, perhaps.

The Governor and Mrs. Cullom will give a reception at the Mansion to-night to the members of the Presbyterian General Assembly of the United States, now in session in Springfield. A general invitation is extended to the residents of the capital city to be present.

IN honor of their guest, Hon. D. D. Parry, of Monmouth, who is the friend of their early days, Hon. and Mrs. L. L. Haworth yesterday invited a party of gentlemen to meet him and make his acquaintance. The party included Hon. C. B. Smith, Hon. S. F. Greer, Hon. Jason Rogers, Messrs. W. C. Johns, V. H. Parke, W. W. Foster, Jno. A. Brown, B. K. Hamsher and J. R. Mosser. A superb dinner was served and a most enjoyable time was had.

MARRIED.

In this city, in the parlor of the St. Nicholas Hotel, on Thursday, May 25, 1882, at 9:30 a. m., by Judge S. F. Greer, MR. EDGAR C. STEIDLEY and MISS MARY ASHCRAFT, both of Moawequa, Ill.

The groom is a brother of Will Steidley, editor of the *Moawequa Mail.* The ceremony was witnessed by Mr. John Freeman of this city, and by friends of the contracting parties from Moawequa.

DIED.

Near Macon, on one of the Brenneman farms, on Wednesday afternoon, May 24, 1882, of consumption, DOTTIE, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Schultz, aged about 9 years.

The remains will be expressed to-night to Newcastle, Ind., for burial.

A Card.

To the Editor of the REPUBLICAN: The time has again arrived when I desire to call the attention of your people to my patent fly rein. During the summer of 1881 I sold through my agents, the Laux Brothers and S. S. Jack, a good many, but somehow the balance sheet, credit column, was on the wrong side for me. This year I have the honor to say that my Macon county agents are Jason Rogers, B. K. Durfee, W. C. Johns and Isaac A. Buckingham. You understand, my fly rein is a simple device to fool a horse. I use two lines, as usual, to drive with, and one for the horse to clamp under his tail. It's awful nice for the driver, and fools the horse badly. Truly,

PHOCION HOWARD.

BARATARIA FARM, Vermilion Co., Ill., May 24, 1882. 25d1t

150 PIECES new Renfrew and Canton Dress Ginghams just received, and will be sold at 9c a yard. Also, 100 pieces good Ginghams in dress styles, just received, at 8c per yard.

May 25-d&wtf LINN & SCRUGGS.

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A St. Louis Man's Statement.

ST. LOUIS, MO., April 29, 1881.

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May 23-daw1w. J. B. REYNOLDS.

Rub It In.

Jacob Loeckman, 274, Clinton street, Buffalo, N. Y., says he has been using THOMAS' ECLECTRIC OIL for rheumatism. He had such a lame back that he could do nothing; but one bottle entirely cured him. May 23-d&w1w

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MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

The Closing Quotations at Wilcox & Armstrong's Commission Rooms, at 1 p. m. Today.

CHICAGO, May 25.

WHEAT—— May; $1.25½, June; $1.25⅝ July; $1.11⅞ Aug; —— year.

CORN—71½ May, 70⅛ June; 70½ July; 70¼ Aug.; 58⅛ Year.

OATS—49¼ May; 48⅛ June; 44 July; 36 Aug; 33¾ year.

PORK—— May; $19.45 June; $19.62½ July; $19.82½ Aug.

LARD—— May; $11.35 June; $11.50 July; $11.62½ Aug.

UNION STOCK YARDS.

HOGS—Estimated receipts, 28,000; shipments, 9,373; light hogs, $7.40@$8.00; mixed, $7.35@$7.90; heavy, $7.90@$8.50. Cattle receipts, 3,200.

	Receipts.	*Shipments.*	*Car Lots.*
WHEAT.....	17,499	33,494	10
CORN.....	363,062	57,285	718
OATS.....	83,769	58,963	118
RYE.....	4,801	2,839	6

NEW YORK, May 25.

WHEAT—$1.47¼ cash.

CORN—87 to 90 cash.

TOLEDO, May 25.

WHEAT—$1.30½ May; $1.33½ June; $1.16½ July; $1.13½ Aug; $1.12 year.

CORN—76¾ May; 73¾ June; 73⅜ July; 74 Aug; 58 year.

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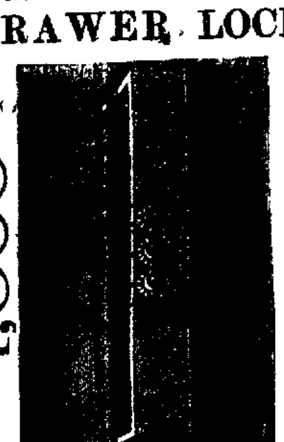

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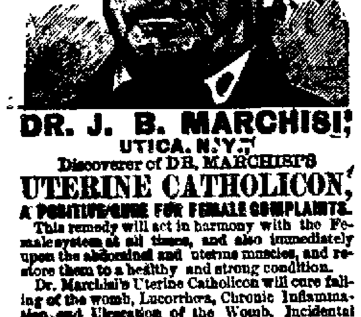

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DECATUR, ILL., MAY 25, 1882.

Wooden Flour.

There is danger ahead for the milling fraternity, and it may be as well to take time by the fetlock and prepare to meet it. *Good Health* says bread of highly nutritious and palatable character may be made from wood. Think of this for a moment. When the price of wood pulp, for paper manufacturre, falls below a profitable point, the pulp can be converted into flour, and this can be sold at a price far below that of flour. Why? Well, there will be no necessity for middling purifiers, as there will be no middlings; the germ will be so large it can be chopped out; the bran (bark) can be hewed off with a broadaxe. Big thing, ain't it? Here's the process:

"Every thing soluble in water is first removed by frequent maceration and boiling; the wood is then reduced to a minute state of division, not merely into fine fibers, but actual powder; and after being repeatedly subjected to heat in an oven, is ground in the usual manner of of corn. Wood thus prepared acquires the smell and taste of corn-flour. It is, however, never quite white. It agrees with corn-flour in not fermenting without the addition of leaven, and in this case some leaven of corn flour is found to answer best. With this it makes a perfectly uniform and spongy bread, and when it is thoroughly baked and has much crust it has a much better taste of bread than what in time of scarcity is prepared from the bran and husks of corn."

There has been at times great scarcity of medium and low grades of flour for export. There will be no need for this hereafter, as exporters can cut down a few telegraph poles, wooden hitching-posts, or even carry off their enemies' front door-steps, convert them into a highly nutritious article of flour, and ship it abroad to supply the wants of the down-trodden laboring classes of Europe. When the manufacture of wood flour gets fairly under way, how would it do to convert the big Pillsbury and Washburn mills into a Miller's College? There might be something in this suggestion.—*Milling World.*

True to her Trust.

Too much cannot be said of the ever faithful wife and mother, constantly watching and caring for her dear ones, never neglecting a single duty in their behalf. When they are assailed by disease, and the system should have a thorough cleansing, the stomach and bowels regulated, blood purified, and malarial poison exterminated, she must know that Electric Bitters are the only sure remedy. They are the best and purest medicine in the world and cost only fifty cents. Sold by Hubbard & Swearingen. 4

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The BEST SALVE in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents. For sale by Hubbard & Swearingen.

Jan. 31, '82—to March 1, '83.

A Hive of Bees.

Burdock Blood Bitters Bring back health, when the Body is Badly disordered By impure Blood. Biliousness, indigestion, constipation, dyspepsia and other Bad disorders cured by Burdock Blood Bitters. Price $1.00. Sold by druggists. 23-d&w4w

Joy, Joy to the World.

If you meet a man who looks as if he had lost all his friends, had his house burned down and business destroyed, just make up your mind that he either has dyspepsia or his liver is out of order. The best thing you can do for such a woe-begone individual is to advise him to go to Dr. A. J. Stoner's drug store and get a bottle of Dr. Jones' Red Clover Tonic, which will cure him without fail. Also an infallible remedy for pimples and blotches on the face. Only 50 cents a bottle. 4

We will sell Black and Colored Silks CHEAPER THAN ANY MERCHANT *in Decatur* CAN BUY THEM ON SPECIAL ORDERS. *Make a note of this, as Linn & Scruggs are responsible for what they say.* feb13d&wtf

THERE are no departments in dry goods which deserve more consideration from ladies than Hosiery, Gloves and Corsets, and it will surprise those who would walk five blocks to save 1 cent a yard on calico, when we assure them that many of these articles are retailed from 25 to 40 per cent *higher* than we sell them.

feb13-d&wtf. LINN & SCRUGGS.

SHELLABARGER'S patent process flour saves one-half the labor in baking, and will make more bread to the pound than any other flour sold here. dec18d&wtf

COLORED Silks just received, in various shades, imported expressly for us, and will be sold cheap. LINN & SCRUGGS.

feb22-d&wtf.

A Novel and Perfect Cure for Scrofula Salt Rheum, Cancer, Etc.

A discovery has recently been made which adds luster to the Nineteenth Century. It consists simply in an extract from the Red Clover Blossom, as extracted by J. M. Loose & Co., Monroe, Mich., who have gone into the business largely in order to supply the increasing demand. For sale by Dr. A. J. STONER.

A slight testimonial:

TOLEDO, OHIO, Jan. 17, 1882.

J. M. Loose & Co., Monroe, Mich.:

Gentlemen—My wife has for some time been afflicted with something like a scrofulous disease, and found no relief until she gave your Extract of Red Clover a trial. I am happy to say she has experienced great relief. This is but a slight testimonial of my appreciation of your efforts in behalf of humanity, which you are welcome to use for their benefit. I am very respectfully, H. ARMS.

Feb. 3, 1882—d&wlyr

Remarkable.

Linn & Scruggs have furnished with carpets nearly every new house in Decatur within the last five years—and sold more carpets *last year* than was ever sold in Decatur in one year.

Feb. 14—d&wtf

NEAT, NATTY, NOBBY is CHEAP CHARLEY'S CLOTHING.

may11-d&wtf

Griggs' Glycerine Salve.

The best on earth can truly be said of Griggs' Glycering Salve, which is a sure cure for cuts, bruises, scalds, burns, wounds, and all other sores. Will positively cure piles, tetter and all skin eruptions. Satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded. Only 25 cents. For sale by Dr. A. J. Stoner. [April 3-d&wly

The Keystone of Health.

How can you expect to feel well, or even enjoy life, when you go about with a hacking cough? The fool, in his wisdom, says there is no cure for it, but the wise man hies him to Dr. A. J. Stoner's drug store, and gets a bottle of Dr. Bigelow's Positive Cure, and at once gets well. A trial bottle costs nothing. 4

DERANGEMENT of the Liver, with constipation, injure the complexion, induce pimples, sallow skin, etc. Remove the cause by using Carter's Little Liver Pills, One a dose. Sold by Hubbard & Swearingen. 19

BUTTERICK'S Spring Fashions and Publications at hand. LINN & SCRUGGS.

feb22-d&wtf.

WORKINGMEN.

—SEE THE—

$2.50 Boot and Shoe

—AT—

J. W. BAKER'S.

18 East Main Street.

Ten Different Styles

—OF—

One Dollar Shoes!

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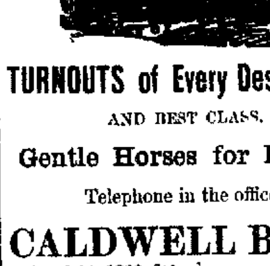


TURNOUTS of Every Description

AND BEST CLASS.

Gentle Horses for Ladies.

Telephone in the office.

CALDWELL BROS.

April 14, 1882 dtf

BUY A LOT

AND

BUILD A HOME!

161 LOTS FOR SALE

IN CARVER'S ADDITION.

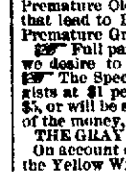
Having purchased the entire interest of the Hon. R. J. Oglesby in Carver's Addition, we offer the lots at reasonable prices and terms. Apply to

CHAMBERS, BERING & QUINLAN.

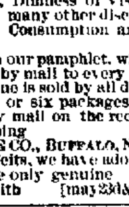
May 6-d3m

GRAY'S SPECIFIC MEDICINE.

TRADE MARK The GREAT ENGLISH REMEDY. TRADE MARK



An unfailing cure for Seminal Weakness, Spermatorrhea, Impotency, and all Diseases that follow as a sequence of



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Self-Abuse, as loss of Memory, Universal Lassitude, Pain in the Back, Dimness of Vision, Premature Old Age, and many other diseases that lead to Insanity or Consumption and a Premature Grave.

☞ Full particulars in our pamphlet, which we desire to send free by mail to every one. ☞ The Specific Medicine is sold by all druggists at $1 per package, or six packages for $5, or will be sent free by mail on the receipt of the money, by addressing

THE GRAY MEDICINE CO., BUFFALO, N. Y.

On account of counterfeits, we have adopted the Yellow Wrapper; the only genuine. Sold in Decatur by Henry Smith [may23d&wly

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ASK YOUR GROCER FOR MUZZY'S STARCH

But One Quality—THE BEST.

SATISFACTION GUARANTEED OR MONEY REFUNDED.

March 20-deow&w6m

$5 to $20 per day at home. Samples worth $5 free. Address STINSON & Co., Portland, Maine. (feb16&w

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EDEN & CLARK,

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Office over Millikin's bank, Decatur, Ill. Will practice in all courts, especially in Macon and Moultrie counties.

Feb. 2, 1882—d&wly

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Plans and specifications prepared on reasonable terms, and satisfaction guaranteed.

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April 11, 1882—d&wly

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Office over Busher's store, 15 East Main street. Pensions, Bounty and Patents obtained.—Prompt attention to Law, Chancery, Collections, and Probate Business. Deeds, Mortgages, Contracts, and all kinds of Legal Instruments, written and Acknowledgments taken. Title to Land examined and Abstracts furnished. Farm and City Real Estate bought and sold. Office hours from 7 A. M. to 9 P. M.

Feb. 8 1882—d&wtf

FRANK W. HAINES

BILL POSTER DISTRIBUTOR,

—AND—

AGENT SMITH'S OPERA HOUSE,

may be found on inquiry at the REPUBLICAN Counting Room.

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Patent Solicitor and Mechanical Draughtsman.

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Manufacturers of

TIN, COPPER

—AND—

Sheet Iron Work.

Roofing and Spouting a Specialty.

Cor. E. Main and Franklin Sts.,

DECATUR, ILLS

March 16—dtf

ICE! ICE!

PURE RIVER ICE,

—By the—

Carload, Ton or Hundred Weight.

Orders for Families or others left at

J. Michl's, No. 12 Water St.,

Will receive prompt attention

DECATUR ICE CO.

April 25, 1882—d3m&w

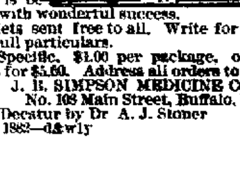
A POPULAR TONIC

For Weak Lungs and Consumption.

No preparation ever introduced to the American public, for the relief and cure of Coughs, Colds, Sore Throat, Debilitated Constitution, Weakness of the Lungs, or Consumption in the incipient or advanced stages of the disease, has ever met with the indorsements of physicians or patients as the celebrated "Tolu, Rock and Rye." The repeated and continued sales of the article everywhere are the best evidence of its real merits. Letters and testimonials from every quarter of the country, attesting the stimulating, tonic and healing effects, are in possession of the proprietors, and can be adduced to convince the most skeptical reader of its intrinsic virtues. Further commendation is unnecessary and superfluous, as a trial of this article, having a pleasant taste and agreeable flavor, will satisfy all those who are afflicted or pining away with pulmonary weakness of the relief to be secured by the use of Tolu, Rock and Rye. (Chicago Times.) Jan2d6mo

TO NERVOUS SUFFERERS—The Great European Remedy—Dr. J. B. Simpson's Specific Medicine.

It is a positive cure for Spermatorrhea, Seminal Weakness, Impotency, and all diseases resulting from Self-Abuse, as Mental Anxiety, Loss of Memory, Pains in Back or Side, and diseases that lead to Consumption, Insanity, and an early grave.—The Specific Medicine is being used with wonderful success.



Pamphlets sent free to all. Write for them and get full particulars.

Price—Specific, $1.00 per package, or six packages for $5.00. Address all orders to

J. B. SIMPSON MEDICINE CO.,
No. 106 Main Street, Buffalo, N. Y.

Sold in Decatur by Dr. A. J. Stoner

May 23, 1882—d&wly

"LET'S ALL GO!"

Dollar Excursion to Peoria Next Sunday.

The first grand cheap excursion of the season will be given on Sunday, May 28th, from Decatur to Peoria, that all who desire may witness the grand Turn-Fest of the Central Illinois Turn Bezirk, at the Peoria Fair Grounds. The Turners of Pekin, Bloomington, Springfield, Decatur, Jacksonville, Danville, Moline, Rock Island and Peoria, will compete for the championship, and there will be the finest exhibition of gymnastic skill ever given in the state. This cheap excursion will be given under the management of the P., D. & E. Company. The train will leave Decatur at 8:32 a. m., on Sunday, and will leave Peoria on the return trip at 6 o'clock on the evening of the same day.

SPECIAL RATES.

The company announces the following rates for the excursion:

The Train leaves Mattoon,	6:30 a. m.	$2.00
Sullivan,	7:09 "	2.00
Bethany,	7:30 "	2.00
Dalton City,	7:46 "	2.00
Mt. Zion,	8:01 "	2.00
Decatur,	8:32 "	1.00
Warrensburg,	8:55 "	1.00
Latham,	9:10 "	1.00
Mt. Pulaski,	9:27 "	1.00
Lincoln,	9:54 "	1.00
Hartsburg,	10:12 "	1.00
Emden,	10:21 "	1.00

Sunday, May 28th, is the day.

A General Stampede

Never was such a rush made for any drug store as is now at Hubbard & Swearingen's for a trial bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds. All persons afflicted with Asthma, Bronchitis, Hoarseness, Severe Cough, or any affection of the Throat and Lungs, can get a trial bottle of this great remedy *free*, by calling at the above drug store. 4

ORDER soft nut coal of F. D. Caldwell and he will deliver it to you nicely screened. Office with American Express Co.

March 23-dtf

LAKE and river fish, fresh every day, at Frank Hall's North Main street depot. Send orders by telephone.

May 6-dtf

WAISTS for children, handsomely made of Calico, Percale and Flannels, just received at Decatur's One Price Clothing and Merchant Tailoring House, corner of Old Square. [April 20-d&wtf

Agents Can Make

$5 to $10 a day selling our "Ironing Board and Plaiter Combined." No capital required, and quick sales. We want agents in every town in the United States.

J. T. HAND & Co's.

march13-dmws-wtf.

A FINE line of knee pants, waists and children's underwear are a specialty at Decatur's One Price Clothing and Merchant Tailoring House, corner of Old Square. [April 20-d&wtf

Bear in mind ladies, that whenever you send away for BLACK SILKS, *you will pay from $8 to $10 a pattern* MORE *than you can buy it of*

Feb. 11-d&wtf LINN & SCRUGGS.

THE selection of Suitings and goods for pants, which have just arrived at Fleury's, the French Cutter, corner of old square, cannot be surpassed for beauty or style. Prices low; perfect fits guaranteed to everybody. Apr20-d&wtf.

THE People's Favorite Clothier is CHEAP CHARLEY. Because his Clothing is made so well and cut so nicely. Because his assortment is so varied and fashionable. Because his salesmen are so obliging and gentlemanly, and take so much time and pains to please his customers. It is an acknowledged fact that nearly all *well-dressed young men, boys and children are fitted out at the Fashionable Clothing Emporium of*

May 11-d&wtf CHEAP CHARLEY.

New and Beautiful Goods

Mrs. K. Einstein, at No. 28 East Main street, has just received her summer stock of fashionable Millinery Goods. The display is dazzling and complete in every branch, and is well worthy the careful inspection of the most fastidious purchasers in the community. There is also on sale a full line of the very latest Novelties, selected specially for the Decatur trade. Call on Mrs. Einstein when you want new, beautiful and stylish goods. Trimming hats and bonnets a specialty.

May 17-d&wtf.

CHEAP GOODS are the result of judicious purchases from first hands, and the largest sales with the least expense. That we have attained this end is a pretty well established fact. And though we call attention in our advertisements to special articles, there are no departments and no articles in departments, from the smallest to the largest, that will not bear the same scrutiny. We hold that merchants are as much bound to adhere to the truth in their advertisements as farmers or mechanics in their business transactions; and that misrepresentations are resorted to where there is no merit, and for the purpose of deceiving the plain unsuspecting class, who can least afford the deception, which robs them of their dues. Goods constantly change in *styles* and prices, so that the *most experienced merchants* find it difficult to determine values, and the seeming artlessness which invests the ordinary buyer, or the "intelligent public" with a knowledge of merchandise, that *nine merchants in ten do not possess*, may be very flattering indeed, but this observation is only made to lull persons into security in order to practice a still greater deception. There is no law to punish dealers for representing their purchases as coming direct from *importers and manufacturers*, when the facts are against them. Nor for giving *special reasons* for marking down goods, after six weeks untiring labor, TWO HUNDRED PER CENT. BELOW COST. But the dealer who indulges in such misrepresentations on paper will do so over the counter; consequently to show courtesy where it does not belong, or to AFFECT a regard for the integrity of *all* competitors might seem very magnanimous were it not for these palpable evidences to the contrary. We invite the most critical investigation to what we say and do in DRY GOODS and CARPETS; also to every other article of merchandise composing our stock.

LINN & SCRUGGS.

March 25-d&wtf

Grape Cure for Dropsy and Rheumatism.

Dropsical and rheumatic persons find the use of Speer's Port Grape Wine, of New Jersey, and the Wine Bitters of incalculable benefit. Their purity and valuable properties have given them a wide reputation among physicians throughout this country and Europe. This wine took the highest premium at the late Centennial. It is excellent for weary and debilitated females. For sale by Dr. A. J. Stoner. May 13-d2w

IF you want mill feed, corn or oats, you can be supplied at Shellabarger's.

Dec. 18—d&wtf

THE W. C. T. U. meets every Thursday at 3 p. m., in their room over Mrs. Hamsher's store in Central Block. dtf

Go to your druggist for *Mrs. Freeman's New National Dyes.* For brightness and durability of color are unequaled. Color from 2 to 5 pounds. Directions in English and German. Price 15 cents.

May 33, 1882-d&wtf

POSTMASTER GEN. HOWE has sent a letter to the house recommending that postage on second-class matter, (papers and magazines) be abolished. He states that fourth-class matter, (merchandise) is carried at a loss to the government, and if the government is to be taxed for the transportation of either class, it should be for second-class.

THE REV. GEO. H. THAYER, of Bourbon, Ind., says: "Both myself and wife owe our lives to SHILOH'S CONSUMPTION CURE." Sold by Henry Smith.

ARE YOU MADE miserable by Indigestion, Constipation, Dizziness, Loss of Appetite, Yellow Skin? Shiloh's Vitalizer is a positive cure. Sold by Henry Smith.

WHY WILL YOU cough when Shiloh's Cure will give immediate relief. Price 10 cts., 50 cts. and $1. Sold by Henry Smith.

SHILOH'S CATARRH REMEDY—a positive cure for Catarrh, Diphtheria and Canker Mouth. Sold by Henry Smith.

"HACKMETACK," a lasting and fragrant perfume. Price 25 and 50 cents. Sold by Henry Smith.

SHILOH'S CURE will immediately relieve Croup, Whooping Cough and Bronchitis. Sold by Henry Smith.

FOR DYSPEPSIA and Liver Complaint you have a printed guarantee on every bottle of Shiloh's Vitalizer. It never fails to cure. Sold by Henry Smith.

A NASAL INJECTOR free with each bottle of Shiloh's Catarrh Remedy. Price 50 cents. Sold by Henry Smith.

Dec. 2—d&weow

LEAVE orders at Cole Bros.' drug store, at the New Deming and St. Nicholas Hotels for Lantner's carriages and omnibuses. Also send orders by telephone to the office on South Main street. Calls made at all hours of the day and night. Passengers and baggage transferred to and from all trains and to all parts of the city promptly. Nov29-dtf

THE style for pants are tight and devoid of spring, but Fleury, the French Cutter, puts them up to order to suit the customers, and guarantees a fit and satisfaction. [April 20-d&wtf

SPRING OPENING

—OF—

Millinery Goods!

MRS. K. EINSTEIN

Has now on hand the

LARGEST STOCK

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Spring and Summer MILLINERY

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MUSLIN UNDERWEAR, of all kinds, CORSET COVERS, and a Full Assortment of CHILDREN'S ROBES and LACE CAPS, all of which are offered at *extremely low prices.*

☞ PLEASE CALL AT ☜

NO. 28 East Main St.,

One Door West of Close, Griswold & Co's.

DECATUR, ILLINOIS

April 24—d&wtf

WA-HOO TONIC

DECATUR, ILL.

To any person suffering from indigestion, dyspepsia, constipation, liver complaints, kidney complaints, lung troubles, skin disease or general debility arising from any cause whatever, who purchase a bottle of FLEURY'S WA-HOO TONIC, takes it according to directions (once each day at bed-time,) for one month and says benefit has not been received by its use the money will be refunded upon presentation of the bottle. Each bottle contains one quart of medicine and costs one dollar. It is unquestionably the very best tonic, blood purifier, and general system renovator ever produced, and is purely vegetable. Try it, and you will be astonished at its wonderful effect upon the human system. Nine hundred and fifteen bottles have been sold at retail in the city of Springfield during the past nine weeks and all say who have tried it "it is the best medicine we have ever used

Made only by the

FLEURY MEDICINE CO,

Springfield, Illinois

Sold by all Druggists.

April 19, 1882.—d&w

NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, MACON COUNTY, } ss

In the County Court of Macon county to the May Term, A. D. 1882

TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

WHEREAS, the undersigned, executor of the will of David Hawley, deceased, has filed in the County Court of Macon county a suggestion that a certain debt due to the estate of said David Hawley, from one George A. Wheeler, is desperate, notice is therefore hereby given that the undersigned will apply to said County Court on the 25th day of May, 1882, for an order to sell the said claim or debt, when and where all persons interested can appear and show cause why such order should not be made if they think proper

SAMUEL S. CARPENTER, Executor.

May 10—d2w

GOODMAN'S BAND.

The organization heretofore known as "The Decatur Band," by unanimous vote of its members on May 2d, 1882, changed its title, and will in the future be known as

"Goodman's Band."

This organization has been before the people of Decatur and vicinity for

EIGHTEEN YEARS,

AND HAS ACQUIRED A REPUTATION SECOND TO NONE IN THE STATE AS A MUSICAL ORGANIZATION.

This Band may be engaged during the season for

PARTIES, PICNICS, FUNERALS, CELEBRATIONS, ETC.

The Band is always ready to employ good musicians.

All communications should be addressed to

W. N. ZIMMERMAN,

Park Hotel, Decatur, Ill

May 3—d&w1m

NOVELTIES

—IN—

Ladies' Collars!

Made of Handsome Lace and various compositions, in Attractive Styles, all at LOWEST CASH PRICES.

Spanish, Yak and Guipure Laces,

In Large and Handsome Variety, at prices which sell them fast.

Large Assortment of Pure White and Cream Tinted Laces,

At prices from 2 cts. to 50 cts. a yard; special value in the 5 to 10 ct. grades

LADIES' GLOVES!

Novelties in Jersey, Mousquetare and Foster's Lacing Wrists; also Button and Elastic Wrists in Berlin, French and English Lisle and Silk Taffeta in black and tinted shades, from 10 cts to $1.00 a pair. An excellent 3-BUTTON KID GLOVE for 50 cts. The Real ALEXANDRE KID GLOVES in 2-Buttons at $1.00. Our Fine 3-BUTTON KID GLOVES, in black, opera and new spring shades, at $1.00 a pair, are the very best produced in this market for the price.

A SPLENDID LOT OF STOCKINGS

At 5 cts a pair, all first quality—no seconds in the lot. And a Most Complete Stock of

Ladies' and Misses' Plain and Fancy Hosiery,

All grades, from 5 cents to $1.25 a pair, in Handsome Styles; *prices always right*

Gents' Seamless Knit Half Hose at 10c a pair. British, regular made, at 20 and 25 cts.

Special Job in Fine Silk Clocked at 30c a pair, or six pair (1 box) for $1.75, worth 50 cts. a pair.

Gents' Seamless Half Hose in Cardinal, Blue and Brown (Ingrain colors), at 25 cts.

GENTS' UNLAUNDRIED SHIRTS!

At 50c, 75c and $1.00.

Our Unlaundried Shirt at 75 cents is made of splendid muslin, with fine linen bosom, reinforced and double stitched, every one guaranteed satisfactory fit. Most every store sells this Shirt at $1.00. It's remarkable cheap at 75 cents and is worthy the attention of careful cash buyers.

WE CONTINUE

Our Matchless and Unequaled Bargains in

Dress Silks!

of which we have sold a great many during the past few days. We invite comparison in every department. No fictitious values quoted or deceptions practiced. All Goods warranted at the lowest living prices and just as represented or money cheerfully returned. Respectfully,

POPULAR NEW YORK STORE,

The House that Always Does as it Advertises.

Only One Ticket Required to See the Circus, Museum, Menagerie and Two-Headed Baby.

At DECATUR, MONDAY, MAY 29.

"They have firmly established themselves as conscientious showmen, and carry their advertisements out to the letter."—*Hartford (Conn.) Courant*

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THE CROWNING SENSATION!

BATCHELLER & DORIS' GREAT INTER-OCEAN.

LARGEST SHOW ON EARTH.

A Grand Consolidation of Twelve First-Class Shows in One composed of a

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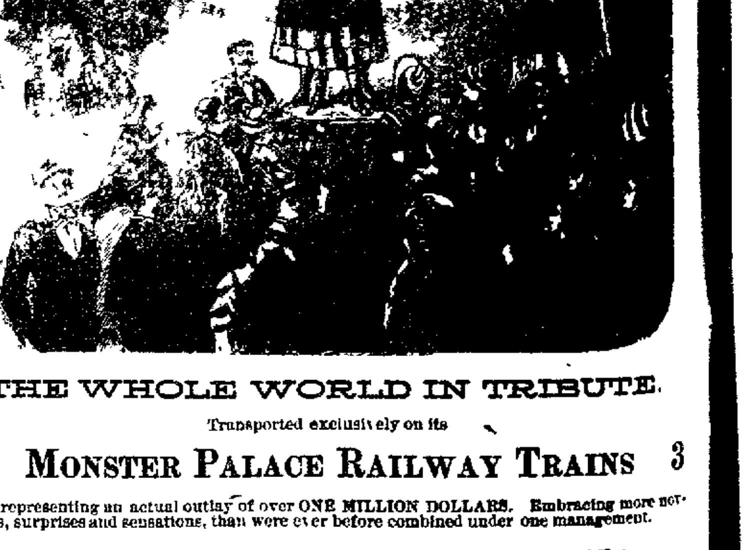
Which for vastness, attractiveness and originality has never been equalled



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